

ROCKEFELLER RESIGNS AS STEEL TRUST DIRECTOR.

Explains That He Is Unable to Attend Meetings and His Son Will Remain a Member.

New York, Feb. 1.—John D. Rockefeller has tendered his resignation as director of the United States Steel Corporation. Mr. Rockefeller, in his letter tendering



JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER.
Whose resignation as director of the Steel
Trust has been announced.

his resignation, says it has not been convenient for him to attend the meetings of the board and that his interest in the company is represented on the board by his son.

The following statement was made on be-

"Much as every one interested regrets the resignation of Mr. Rockefeller, we must acknowledge the force of the reason he assigns for his action, and must respect his wishes. Probably acceptance will be made at the regular meeting of

Many of the directors expressed a desire to have Henry Phipps selected to fill the vacancy to be created, and it is expected he will be unanimously elected, and that he will accept.

Representatives of the Steel Corporation say that no significance other than that made plain to Mr. Rockefeller's lat-

OLD SCOUT DIES A SUICIDE.
Walter Scott, Who Was With

Custer, Hangs Himself.

Stafford, Kas., Feb. 1.—Walter Scott, who was a scout with General Custer prior to the battle of Little Big Horn, committed suicide at his home this afternoon by taking morphine. No cause ascertained.

To Hold Two Conventions.
REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
 Pontiac, Ill., Feb. 1.—At a meeting of the

Republican County Central Committee in this city to-day it was decided to hold two conventions this year, the first one Monday, February 15, to select delegates to the State, Congressional and Senatorial conventions, and the second probably in June.

**BOARD ARRIVE;
RED IN THE ISLANDS.**



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—By a Republic Photographer.

d M. Guerrero. Seated, from left,
G. Escamillio.

Mr. Papock, S. J., of St. Louis University, whom he had known in the Philippines, and was directed to the Terminal Hotel.

Yesterday they moved to their new quarters, No. 3554 Lindell boulevard.

Assistant Secretary Escamillo was a Captain of the General Staff of Aguinaldo's army, and private secretary to the General. He was present and acted as interpreter at the interview with Admiral Dewey, General Otis and General Merritt.

He was imprisoned during the war by the Americans and confined four months in the prison at Manila.

During his imprisonment he composed several songs, one a ragtime piece entitled "How to Get the Water Cure." Alfredo

Guerrero, Secretary of the board, was a member of the Filipino Cabinet, and was Secretary of Agriculture and Public Instruction.

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